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SUBJ: ICJ ELECTIONS - LIBERIAN CANDIDATE ROCHEFORTE L. WEEKS

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1. FONMINISTRY HAS RAISED AGAIN WITH US QUESTION OF US SUPPORT FOR CANDIDACY OF ROCHEFORT L. WEEKS FOR THE ICJ SEAT. ASST. MINISTER DUNN SAID THAT MUCH TO THEIR SURPRISE THE GOL DELEGATION TO THE OAU MEETING IN KAMPALA LEARNED THAT GHANA, KENYA, MALI, MADAGASCAR AND SIERR LEONE INTENDED TO PUT FORWARD THEIR OWN CANDIDATES. IN DISCUSSIONS WITH DELEGATIONS FROM THESE COUNTRIES, GHANA, MALI AND MADAGASCAR AGREED TO WITHDRAW THEIR CANDIDATES IN FAVOR OF LIBERIA, KENYA WAS NON-COMMITTAL BUT DISCUSSIONS ARE CONTINUING. SIERRA LEONE CONTINUES TO PUSH ITS CANDIDATE AND PRESENTS THE GREATEST CHALLENGE TO GOL. DUNN SAID THIS FURTHER UNDERLINES THE NEED FOR GOL TO MUSTER MAXIMUM POSSIBLE SUPPORT FOR ITS CANDIDATE. HE SAID GOL SINCERELY HOPES THAT US WILL BE ABLE TO SUPPORT LIBERIAN CANDIDATE AND THAT A FAVORABLE US REPLY COULD BE RECIEVED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. I REPLIED THAT I HAD NOT RECEIVED REPLY AS YET TO OUR MESSAGE FORWARDING THEIR REQUEST FOR US SUPPORT, BUT WOULD QUERY DEPT AS TO THE STATUS OF ITS CONSIDERATION

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OF GOL REQUEST.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: I WOULD APPRECIATE EARLY RESPONSE
ON THIS MATTER ON WHICH TO BASE A REPLY TO GOL.
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